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Applicant(s): Gilbert R. Gonzales
Title: **CENTRAL NERVOUS SYSTEM ADMINISTRATION OF
MEDICATIONS BY MEANS OF PELVIC VENOUS
CATHETERIZATION AND REVERSAL OF BATSON'S PLEXUS**
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Sir:

In accordance with the duty of candor and good faith imposed by 37 C.F.R. §1.56, and the means of complying with that duty according to 37 C.F.R. §§1.97 and 1.98, the Applicant calls the references listed on the attached form PTO-1449 to the attention of the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified patent application. An Information Disclosure Statement with U.S.

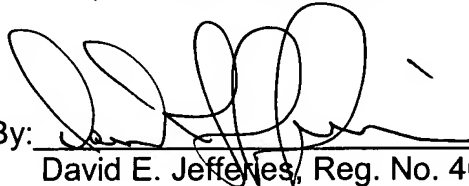
patents is being electronically filed on even date herewith. The Applicant has enclosed a copy of all other cited references.

The Applicant respectfully believes that the cited references, either individually or in combination, do not disclose or render obvious the subject matter claimed in the present application. Nonetheless, the Applicant requests that the Examiner review the references and make an independent determination of their relevance.

The Applicant does not believe that any fees are due in connection with this submission. However, if such fees are necessary, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any necessary fees to Deposit Account 23-3000.

Respectfully submitted,

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